IN SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES,

NOVEMBER 16, 1820.

Mr. Johnson, of Kentucky, submitted the following motion, for consideration.

Resolved, That it is expedient to make provision by law to authorize any person, who has purchased public lands and not made full payment for the same, to relinquish to the United States so much thereof as may not be paid for, and retain such portion of the original purchase as may amount to the sums of money actually paid, at the price for which the land was purchased.

